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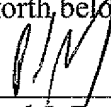
Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action dated November 29, 2007, the Applicant has filed a Request For Continued Examination (RCE) herewith along with the present Amendment. Applicant respectfully requests that, prior to examination, the above-identified application be amended as follows:

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